

**Introduced by Senator DeSaulnier**January 31, 2013

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An act to repeal Section 5205 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 151, as introduced, DeSaulnier. Vehicles: license plates.

Existing law requires the Department of Motor Vehicles, upon registering a motor vehicle, to issue a license plate or plates to the owner of the vehicle to identify the vehicle for which the plates are issued for the period of their validity. The license plates are required to be attached to the vehicle for which they were issued, as specified, and to remain attached during the period of validity while the vehicle is being operated or held for sale within this state. Existing law authorizes the department to make appropriate rules and regulations for the use and display of stickers or devices issued in lieu of license plates, and to publish a summary thereof.

This bill would repeal that latter provision.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 5205 of the Vehicle Code is repealed.
- 2 ~~5205. The department may make appropriate rules and~~
- 3 ~~regulations for the use and display of stickers or devices issued in~~
- 4 ~~lieu of license plates, and shall publish a summary thereof.~~

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